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Baucus Announces Addition to Finance Committee: Bill Dauster to Become Democratic General Counsel

(WASHINGTON, D.C.) U.S. Senator Max Baucus today announced that Bill Dauster will join the U.S. Senate Finance Committee staff as Democratic General Counsel on April 22. Bill has worked in Washington, D.C. since 1986. He served for 10 years with the Senate Budget Committee as Chief Counsel and then as Democratic Chief of Staff. Bill has since also been Democratic Chief of Staff for the Labor Committee, Deputy Assistant to the President for Economic Policy under the Clinton Administration, and most, recently served as Legislative Director for Senator Russ Feingold.

"I am very pleased by the addition of Bill Dauster to the Finance Committee staff, which will continue the committee tradition of skilled, top quality staff. The breadth of Bill's experience will serve the Committee well as Congress faces current budget deficits and increasing pressures looking towards the retirement of the baby boom generation."

At the Finance Committee, Bill will work on procedural matters, including Committee jurisdiction, Committee rules, Senate floor process, and other committee legal matters. In addition, he will advise Senator Baucus and other Finance Committee Democrats regarding budget and Social Security matters.

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